# **NEW AMENDMENT** IS INTRODUCED

Debate on White House Compromise on Rate Bill Will Begin To-day.

### LIABILITY BILL IN THE HOUSE

References to Number of Em ployes Killed on Railways in Country.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 2.-When the Senate convened to-day, Mr. Haje reported the urgent deficiency bill and gave notice that he would call it up to-

The bill fixing regular terms of the Circuit and District Courts in the Northerns Districts of Alabamu, was passed.

erns Districts of Alabamu, was passed re-ap-pointing Andrew D. White, as a member of the board of regents of the Smith-sonian Institution.

The Mallory bill to further enlarge the powers and authority of the Public Health and Marine Hospital service, known as the National Quarintine bill, was passed.

### Rate Bill Called Up.

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Mr. Tillman, who presented another of a series of complaints against railroads, tills one from John S. Williams and Son, of Richmond, Va., called up the House railroad rate bill and Mr. Bacon had read a proposed amendment, which would prohibit the setting aside or suspension of a rate fixed by the commission by an interlocutory or preliminary decree of a court unless, after a hearing wherein the order of the commission is considered and concurred in and ordered by at least two judges presiding at such hearing, at least one of who shall be judge of the Circuit Court of the United States or a circuit Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Mr. Fulton, of Oregon, then spoke for the bill. It was a legal argument, bearing upon the constitutional questions involved in the legislation. The principal point he desired to make in his speech point he desired to make in his speech, said Mr. Fulton, was that it is not necessary to the validity of the bill that it contain a specific provision for a court of review. Mr. Fulton said that if he thought the omission of a specific method of review would work a particle of damage to the rullroads, he would not favor the bill.

During Mr. Fulton's speech a message from the President was presented to the senator by Mr. Forester, instead of Bendamin F. Barnes, assistant secretary to the President.

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The amendment to the House railroad rate bill agreed upon at the White House' Saturday by friends of the bill, providing for a limited review of orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission, was then offered in the Senate by Mr. Long, of Kansas, who gave notice that he would address the Senate to-morrow.

Mr. Hepburn made the point that in the court review controversy the right of the shipper to go into court was not given.

Mr. Nelson (Minnesota) followed with an argument to show that the omission of all argument to show that the omission of all

Mr. Nelson (Minnesota) followed with an argument to show that the omission of an provision for review would not under the proposed law be unconstitutional. He replied especially to Mr. Knox, and said that even without explicit authority for review, there were three methods by which an appeal from a decision of the commission may be taken.

After passing a large number of private pension bills, the Senate at 5:12 adjourned.

## LIABILITY BILL IS PASSED BY HOUSE

### Naval Academy Report Adopted. Incorporation of National Educational Association.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 2.—Chlef among the measures passed by the House to-day was the so-called "personal liability bill," which has been favored by the army of railway employes throughout the country, and which had practically a manimous report from the committee. The Naval Academy report was adonted.

adopted.

The personal liability bill, so called, was called up. Mr. Sterling (Illinois) stating its features. Mr. Parker (New Jersey) and Mr. Kelfer (Ohio) opposed the bill.

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Mr. Mann (Illinois) said that there were 931 railroad employes killed last year and 13,350 injured on the railroads of the United States. The best way to protect the public is to make the railroad pay for the sleepy engineer who has worked for twenty hours, and by nas worked for twenty nours, and by reason of this overwork, injury results.

The bill was supported by Mr. Henry (Texas), Mr. Williams (Mississippi) and Mr. Bartlett (Georgia). Mr. Flood (Yirginia) said that in his State they had placed the thought in the constitution and he believed it a most just measure. Mr. Sterling (Illinois) said the bill was to change the common law liability of employers of labor in this line of employment for personal injuries received by em ployes in the service, and makes both parties responsible for their own negligened. The bill was passed without division.

Fortification of Wines.

## A Diamond Ring

The most interesting of all appreclated gifts-the finishing touch to that Easter Attire.

Rings that will link hearts as they link our patronage, We announce a glittering galaxy of Rings-Bring in your highest Jewelry expectations and your lowest price-possibility.-We'll suit your surely.





Resolutions Adopted.

A resolution calling upon the attorneygeneral for information as to the number and amount of claims allowed in
favor of claimants and against the
United States and the number and
amount of claims determined in favor of
United States and the number and
amount of claims now pending, growing
out of the treaty with Spain, also a
resolution requesting the attorney-general
to inform the House of the name and
date of appointment of every person
appointed under the act of Congress
growing out of the treaty with Spain
and the total amount paid for salaries,
compensation and expenses from the
second of March, 1901, to the present
time, were passed.

The House at 5:05 adjourned.

### NOMINATION OF BARNES. President Sent Message to the Senate Yesterday."

Senate Yester, Gay.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 2.—The President to-day sent to the Senate the nomination of Benjamin F. Burnes, who has been his assistant private secretary, to be postmaster at Washington, to succeed J. M. Meritt, nominated to-day for collector of customs at Ningara Falls. Other nominations sent to the Senate to-day are as follows:

Commissioner of the District of Columbia University Herris B. F. MacFarland.

bia—Henry B. F. MacFarland.

Consul M. Birmingham, England—Albert Halstead, District of Columbia.

### Foster Succeeds Barnes.

By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, April 2.—President
Roosevelt has appointed Rudolph Foster
to be first assistant secretary to the President, in place of B. F. Barnes, appointed
postmaster for this city, Mr. Foster
wan second assistant secretary.

### WOMAN MUST PAY

### Supreme Court Renders Decision in Florida Bank Case.

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(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The Supreme Court of the United States to-day announced, through Justice Harlan, its decision in the case of Henrictta Christopher vs. Joseph W. Norvell, receiver of the First National Bank, of Jacksonville, Fla., which went into bankruptcy in 1903. Mrs. Christopher owned \$1,500 worth of the stock of the bank, and it was assessed at full par value to pay the debts of the institution. The local courts sustained the assessment, but the decision was resisted on the ground that, being a married woman, Mrs. Christopher was absolved from payment under the Constitution and laws of the State of Florida. To-day's decision sustained the Florida courts, holding Mrs. Christopher to be personally liable.

The Supreme Court to-day fixed April 2d as the date for hearing the argument in the case of the State of Georgia vs. the Tennessee Copper Company, involving a charge against the company of injuring surrounding property with the fumes from its smelters.

Cotton Men See President

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(By Associated Press.) 1 1 11 WASHINGTON, D. C., April 2.-A-dele WASHINGTON, D. C., April 2—A delegation of cotton manufacturers of England was presented to the President today by Representative Lovering, of Massachusetts. The delegation of English visitors is on its way South to urge the cotton growers to bale their cotton in better shape than it now is baled. The members represent the cotton spinners of Great Britain.

## Cable to Panama.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, April 2.—Senator Foraker to-day reported from the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, a bill providing for a cable from Key-West to Panama via Guantane as advocated by the secretary of war.

### Washington Affairs.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, April 2.—Virginia pos
masters appointed: Doswell, Hanov
county, Munson B. Conine, vice C, J
Mitchell, resigned; Jonia, Dinwiddle coul
ty, George G. Reams, vice J. T. Hard;
resigned.

## RYAN AND BELMONT TO FIGHT HEARST

the Speaker, as the case may be, and the sergeant-at-arms announces: "A mes-sage from the President of the United States."

"Receive It," says the presiding officer,
"Mr. Speaker," says Mr. Baynes, "I am
directed by the President of the United
States to deliver the following message
in writing."

As he concludes, Barnes hands to a page
a big red portfolio, containing the message, makes his bow and retires, the
Senate or body resuming the business
suspended on his appearance.

Star Sarcastic.

Recently, Barnes has attracted more

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Bromat sch-two for scenario, cuttert, per Ballow as made Saturday morning; and the appointment of this successor was made atter the control of the per of Klagara from a postifice of the tribute of critical in the same should be controlled. The bill was passed the weight postified of the present in the same of the weight permit the dilution of grape piece used from the dilution of grape piece used for the day Saturday afternoon. The bill was supported by the same of the weight quarters of commonly known as grape brain distributed by the same of the present of the weight quarters of commonly known as grape brain distributed by the same of the present of the weight quarters of commonly known as grape brain distributed by the same of the present of the weight quarters of commonly known as grape brain distributed by the same of the present of the weight quarters of the weight quarters of the weight quarters of the weight quarters of the present of the present in the proportion of the present of the present in the proportion of the present

The Tobacco Bill.

Senator Daniel, who is one of the sub-committee of the Committee of the Fi-nance Committee appointed to consider the House bill repealing the tax of six cents a pound on leaf tobacco offered for the House bill repealing the tax of six cents a pound on leaf tobacco offered for sale, said to-day he had been trying to have a time set for a hearing on the bill, but had not succeeded as yet. Senator Aldrich, who is chairman of the subcommittee, says he will have a hearing on the bill when Mr. John Landstreet, of the R. A. Patterson Tobacco Cumpany, of Richmond, can be present.

Senator Daniel will probably make a speech this week on the rate bill, though he is not certain that he will speak before the week following. The senator has been studying the question very closely for some time. He is inclined to believe that if it be possible to amend the bill so as to provide that a case which has been heard before the commission shall only be taken into the courts on a writ of certiorari, which will not operate to suspend the rate fixed by the commission, the problem of an effective rate bill will be solved. But there is a question which he clearly recognizes, of course, as to whether a writ of certiorari, would be a proper and constitutional method of getting the record of an administrative body before the courts. It is possible that if the senator should be convinced that this would be the proper procedure, he would propose to amend the bill in that manner.

Towne for Jamestown.

Towne for Jamestown. Representative Charles H., Towne, of Sew York, will make a speech in a day or two advocating an appropriation for the benefit of the Jamestown Exposition. Mr. Towne is one of the fore-most orators and debaters in Congress, or out of it, for that matter, and the friends of the exposition are looking forward with pleasure to hearing his

The Ashland Postmastership.

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The nomination of Thomas Fox to be postmaster at Ashland is being held up in the Senate Committee on Commerce. This action is taken at the request of some of the patrons of the office, who do not want to see Mr. Fox succeed Mr. Fleet in the postoffice. Senator Martin is not opposing confirmation, and asked that action be delayed simply because he was requested to do so. It is probable that the nomination will be confirmed.

firmed.

The nomination of Hart to be post-master at Ronnoke, and of Kinzer, to the postmastership of Front Royal are also being held up until certain charges can be investigated.

"It was not until the dispatch of this afternoon that the matter was known by; any other member of the firm." This statement is made simply to show that the letter was a ge.eral expression of individual opinion."

Mr. John Skelton Williams, of the firm the action of the statement of the stateme of John L. Williams and Sons, is in New York, and Mr. John L. Williams could

not be seen.

Mr. L. M. Williams stated that he wrote
the letter, and that he enclosed an editorial, which appeared in the News Loader
on January 8th. Mr. L. M. Williams
stated that his letter was not signed with his firm's name.

### What Mr. Stevens Says.

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Mr. George W. Stevens, president of, the Chesapenke and Ohlo Rallway Company, said last night that his company had never discriminated against Richmond, and had no desire or intention of doing so; that the Chesapeake and Ohlo was as much interested in Richmond's welfare as any one of her citizens.

"As far as I know," said President Stevens, "the officials of the Pennsylvania Raliroad are not aware of the Richmond rate. They have certainly never asked for information concerning it."

Enquiry from those in a position to know, disclose the following information regarding the alleged discrimination:

tion, regarding the alleged discrimina-tion:

"The rate on Goal from New River and Pocahontas fields to Richmond is \$1.60 per ton or less than five mills per ton per mile. It is true that the rate from the rearby coal fields on the Baltimore and Oulo and Penn-sylvania Railroads to Baltimore and Philadelphia is \$1.35, but the distance haulted is considerably less and the ton mile rate higher.

"The railway companies serving

BACK TO NATURE Natural Food for the Old Dame's Use

"For \$ months Grape-Nuts was my most sole food," writes a New York

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"Ity woman.
"I had become a complete wreek, "I had become a complete wreek, so to speak, had no appetite or relish for any kind of food, jost flesh, dreaded the simplest gaily tasks and was dragging out a most wretched existence.

"The Grape-Nuts food took hold of me at once, renewing all the vigor of my nature, and my work became a pleasure to me instead of a haruship. This was 4 years ago, and this hampe condition has Star Sarcastic.

Recently Barnes has attracted more than the ordinary share of attention, owing to his having ordered the ejectment of Mrs. Minor Morris from the White House. His action was universally condemned, and was the subject of hot disquission on the floor of the Senate and House. Attempts to have the matter investigated by Congreta failed.

The confirmation of the appointment of Barnes, it is understood, will be delayed, and may fall entirely, so bilter is the feeling against him. The Washington Star, which is an administration organ, suggests that the President appoint Fitz-

# ON LITTLE BOY

Mouth and Eyes Covered With Crusts-Face Itched Most Fearfully-Hands Pinned Down to Prevent Scratching

### MIRACULOUS CURE BY CUTICURA REMEDIES



"When my little big was six months old, he had oczema. The scace extended so quickly over the whole body that we at once called in the dector. We then went to another dector, but he could not help him, and in our despair we went to a third one. Matters became so bad that he had regular holes in his cheeks, large enough to put singer into. The food had to be given with a spoon, for his mouth was covered with crusts as thick as a finger, and whenever he opened the mouth they began to bleed and suppursts, as did also his eyes, and back, in short the whole body, was covered over and over. We had no rest by day or night. Whenever he was laid in his bed, we had to pin his hands down: otherwise he would scratch his face, and make an open sore. I think his face must have litched most fearfully.

"We finally thought nothing could help, and I had made up my mind to send my wife with the child to Europs, hoping that the sea air might cure him, otherwise he was to be put under good medical care there. But, Lord be blessed, matters came differently, and we soon saw a miracle. A friend of ours spoke about Cutiours, we made a trial with Cutiours Soap, Ointment, and Recolvent, and within ten days or two weeks we noticed a decided improvement. Just as quickly as the sickness, had appeared it also began to disappear, and within ten weeks the child was absolutely well, and his skin was smooth and whits as never before." F. Hebrath, President of the C. L. Hohrath Company, Manufacturers of Silk Ribbons, 4 to 22 Rink Alley, June b, 1905.

South Bethiehem, Pa. Cutieurs Soap, Cleiment and Pills are sold througher the world. Poster Drug & chen. Corp, host Fress, Bostes are Malled Fres, "How to Carefor the considera-

Richmond have had under considera-tion for some months the policy of establishing rates on coal used by the larger manufacturing plants on a lower basis than those now in effect, and it was confidently expected that the suggested reduction would be-

became very much interested in a bronze statue of Napoleon on horseback, which rested out the inantelpiece. He could not take his eyes from it, and kept repeating: That is the best posed horse I have ever seen.

"When he left he told me that he was on a committee to select an equestrian statue of General J. E. B. Stuart, and said that he were like to use the horse of my statue was 12 hed.

"General L. State. for days later, before I could send him a photograph of the statue, but shortly after his death I received a letter from Captain Dimmock of Richmond, saying that General Lee had written him upon leaving my house and had told him about my bronze, saying that It was his idea of a horse.

"I sent the statue to Captain Dimmock and wrote him to make such use of it as he thought fit. He wrote me that the Start statue had already been selected, but it was his idea to use the model for an equestrian statue that would shortly be raised to General Fitzhugh Lee.

"To-day I drove to Hollywood to stand

Lee. Co-day I drove to Hollywood to stand a moment by his grave."

Mr. Hill will leave this morning for Washington, where he will spend several

### DINNER TO SENATOR HILL

### Gov. Swanson Entertained Distinguished Ex-Governor.

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Senator Pavid B. Hill was occupied during the Prenoon in driving to different noints of interest within and about the city, accompaniel by the Governor and Mrs. Swanson. He returned with them for luncheon and was the Governor's guest of honor at a dinner given at 7:30 o'clock last evening.

Twelve covers were laid. The dining-room, quaintly and charmingly furnished in colonial mahogany and resplendant with cuttglass and sliver, was prettly lighted with pink-shaded sliver candelabra and candles. The flowers were pink carnations and migonette, a big placque making the centernice, and slender cut-glass vases, filled with the flowers, being placed here and there on handsome lace covers.

At the Governor's right head sat the senator, others present being the senator's secretary, Licutenant-Governor J. Taylor Ellyson. Speaker Cardwell, Major James H. Dooley, Col. A. S. Bufore. Col. Eugene Massie, Mr. Frank Mebane of North Carolina and Mr. Owens.

Mr. Owens.

The menu was elaborate and delightful and the occasion one of the pleasantest social occasions of the spring at the

### MR. STONE PREACHES

### Series of Meetings Began Last Night in Grace Street Church.

Rev. John Timothy Stone, of Baltimore, began a series of meeting in the Grace Street Presbyterian Church last night with one of the strongest and most healt-searching sermons heard in Richmond for

searching sermons heard in Ademiniate to some time.

His text was taken from several verses in the latter part of the first chapter of John's Gospel:

Whom seek ye?
Come and see: Follow Me.

Mr. Stone impressed his hearers with his intense earnestness.



HON, DAVID BENNETT HILL,

come effective early this month, it is searcely probable, now that the matter has been introduced in the United States Senate, that anything will be done in the near future, as the rate now charged can be defended as fair and equitable, considering the distance from the coal mines to Richmond. It is stated by rallway officials that the rates applicable to Richmond and other Virginia points are fixed without consulation with either the Baltimore and Ohlo or Pennsylvania Rullroads.

## NO POLITICS, SAID HON. DAVID B. HILL

changed wonderfully since that time; in

fact. It seems more beautiful every time

### Touching Politics.

"Do you think that there is anythin in the talk of a Southern man being run for the Presidency?" usked the news-

paper man,

The New York statesman smiled as he replied: "Don't you think that is touching just a bit on polities" I would rather tell you how comfortable I find this hotel. IUs a less dangerous subject of conversal lon."

conversation."
"What do you think of William Jennings Bryan as a possibility?" enquired

nings Bryan as a possibility?" enquired the questioner.

Mr. Hill smiled a mysterious smile, but declined to disclose his thoughts.
"Or of Hearst?"

Again the Ex-Governor became as a dumb man and opened not his mouth.
"Or of yourself?"
"Let us resume the 'evil' tenor of our way." replied Mr. Hill, "and forget all personal and dangerous questions."
"If I felt that I ought to talk on these subjects, don't you see I would be obliged to talk in New York, for what would the boys' say if I came down here to Virginia and told things after I had declined to be interviewed at home.

Fitz Lee Statue.

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"Til tell you something of interest.
General Fitzhingh Lee dined with me at
my home, near Albany, just ten days
before he died. After dinner we were sitting in my library, when General Lee

to Christ.
The meetings at the Grace Street Church will continue daily at noon and \$15 P. M. Mr. Stone's subject for the noon meeting to-day is "Bellet in God," His text to-night will be, "He is able to save to the atternest."

A cordial invitation is extended to every body to attend these services.

## Negroes to Celebrate.

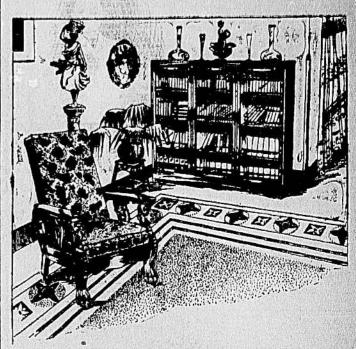
Colored people are flocking to this city from all parts of the country to join in the celebration of Emancipation Day on April 3d. Excursion trains are pouring them in by the carload, and it is expected that from twenty to forty thousand people will be present to take part in the celebration. Following is the line of march: Form at Second and City Streets our Second to Baker; out Baker to Brook Main; up Main to Ninth, up Ninth to Grace; up, Grace to Hyland to Broad, then to the base-ball park. Returning, down Broad to Bowe, down Bowe to Leigh, down Leigh to Second; disbana.

# Tutt's Pills will save the dyspeptic from many days of misery, and enable him to est whatever he wishes. They prevent

BICK HEADACHE, cause the food to assimilate and nour-ish the body, give keen appetite,

DEVELOP FLESH and solid muscle. Elegantly sugar Take No Substitute.

### Home Beautiful The



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# 98 Cents.

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The Store that always gives 100 cents' worth and better for the \$1.00.

## Briet Items From Everywhere.

SEATTLE.—In order that he can personally direct the operation, Dr. Whiting, one of the most prominent physicians of this city, will have his appendix removed without the use of an anaesthe-

CLEVELAND.—One hundred college youths stormed the stage entrance to the Opera House, slurged the stage hands, defled the police and pummeled the notresses' excerts. The police were swept aside as if they were mere children until Sergeant Graul arrived with reinforcements. reinforcements. GREENWICH, CONN.—Within three hundred feet of his church the Rev. Johnopp, pastor of St. Paul's German Lutheran Church, of Byram Shore, was murderously assuilted, his scalp being laid open and his eye blackened. His assailant escaped ever the State line to Port Chester.

NEW YORK .- With the skeptle NEW YORK. With the saches of a score of newspaper men trained upon her, Marie Beyrooty, a Dervish dancer, whirled her sinuous body round and round for thirty-five minutes without a stop, completing just 2,450 revolutions, and thus breaking her own previous record, as well as that of the world.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y.—The first permit issued in North Pelham for a man to carry, a revolver was given to Peter Ceder, who was defeated for assessor there in a regent election. Mr. Ceder helieves his life is in danger because of intense political feeling.

NEW YORK,—Transformed from a cheap show place, known as 'The Turkish Harem," a mission of the Holy Name Society, of New York, was blessed and formally opened by Archhishop Farley, in No. 167 1-2 Bowery. This mission, which has been a dream of the Archibishop for years, was established by the Rev. Daniel C. Cunnion for habitues of lodging houses of the Bowery. It is the first institution of its kind established there by the Catholic Church.

NEW YORK.-After making a careful NEW YORK.—After making a chretic tollet, leaving instructions to her landlord providing for entrance to her room when her death should be discovered, and arranging that her death should be as clearly and surely executed as possible, Mrs. Johanna Sticker, forty years old, a handsome German woman, shot herself dead in bed la her furnished room in the house of John T. Von Brunk, at No. 254 East Sixty-sixth Street.

LANCASTER, PA .- A game of erap LANCASTER.

between several colored men cost the life of Stephen Green, 22 years of age, the nurderer being John Waters, Jr., aged 23 years. The shooting grew out of a dispute over five cents.

NEW YORK,—Under orders from Washington March 14, 118 military prisoners who have been confined at Fort Jay, Governor's Bland, for some months past, were sent to the rehabilitated military prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan, The transfer from the prison to the train was made under a strong guard and without the slightest disorder or attempt on the part of any of the prisoners to create a scone.

NEW YORK,—Spouting smoke and fiame, a south-bound Broadway open carone of the first put on this season-at-forded a spectacle for several thousand Broadway strollers at Twenty-inhit Street. It also brought rattling up to the scene four fire engines and a haldozen hose and ladder trucks. One line of hose directed by the fremen into the motor of the car was sufficient to put out the blaze, but the floor of the car and the motor were wreeked.

DERBY, CONN.—Blood poisoning, contracted from a woman patient, killed Dr. Roscius Y. Dowes, a prominent 'Ausonia physician. The poison in an unknown manner gathered in one lung, bursting and causing death by suffocation.

Dr. Downs was forty-eight years ald, and leaves a widow and three children. The woman from whom he took the fatal imitady is recovering.

NEW YORK.—Arising from a wedding feast at the home of his partner. Nathan Glickman, No. 32 West One Hundred and Twelfth Street, who is in the clock busi-

ness at No. 149 Fifth Avenue, Louis Din-kelspiel, fifty-five years of age, of No. 46 West Eighty-ninth Street, went to a corner drug store to obtain some cigars for his friends, and died of apoplexy as he was entering the pharmacy.

PHILADELPHIA.—While trying to release his young brother, whose coat was caught on the third floor of the fire escape at No. 12 Kenliworth Court, whence both/fled to avoid the regular Sunday scrubbing by their mother, Francis O'Meara, ten years old, fell over the ralling to the street, and was badly injured. TACOMA, WASH .- The Guggenheimers

TACOMA, WASH.—The diagenteements, of New York, are buying properties in the Klondike district on a colossal scale. It is believed they will acquire at least half of the richest part of the Klondike district, converting their properties into one vast hydraulic mine. PHILADELPHIA,-Awaiting his turn in PHILADELPHIA.—Awalting his turn in a long line of hungry men before the doors of the Sunday Breakfast Association, Barton J. Weeks, a middle-aged man of respectable appearance, swooned and fell unconscious in his place. Ho was taken to the Hahnemann Hospital, where the physicians found that he was suffering from weakness caused by hunger.

Enjoyable Musicale, A very enjoyable musicale was recently given at the residence of Mrs. Eanes, No. 403 North Twelfth Street, by Mrs. 14 C. Tucker's class.

The appended programme was beautifully rendered:

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Duct. Overture to Zawnipa (Herold).
Mrs. L. C. Tucker and Miss Edna Gordon; Solo, Pastorale Varie (Mozart), Miss Julia Eanes; Panfare Militaire (Hohn).
Misses Julia Eanes and Mary Talley; Solo, Thistiedown (Muller), Miss Annie Richardson; Trio, Galop Militaire (Horbert).
Misses Julia Eanes, Mary Talley and Louise Reams; Duct, in Festal Array (Englemann), Mrs. L. C. Tucker and Miss Lula Eanes; Solo, Tremole (Gottschalx), Miss Mary Talley; Duct, Selected (Gallic), Miss Mary Talley; and Mrs. L. C. Tucker; Duct (a), Largo (Handel), (b) The Gruces (Wushles), Miss Louise Reams.
L. C. Tucker; Home, Sweet Home (Thaibert), Miss Louise Reams.
The parfors and halls were tastly decorated in draperies of yellow and green, and paims and forns. After the musicula verseshments were served, Theo occasion was one of much enjoyment to the many guests present.

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